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Perry Widden is said to be rusticating in Canada.

Frank Cummins has been appointed post master at Ashland.

According to the Graphic Fowler City is in the incipient stages of a boom.

The Hornet, of Spring Lake, comes to us after an absence of four weeks. The Hornet is of small dimensions, but will grow up with the country.

Fowler Graphic: The social given by Sophronia Siebenthaler last Tuesday night was well attended by the young bloods of Fowler. Pet Royal stands first on taffy pulling.

J. E. Curren, proprietor of the Lake Valley Press and the Hillsboro Advocate, both in New Mexico, stopped in the city last Sunday to chat old friends among whom he uses to live.

The meeting of the Teachers' Association in this city last Saturday was not very largely attended. The next meeting will be held at Spearville on December 19th, and all members are requested to attend.

J. F. Shelby, assistant postmaster at Ford City, called at our office on Friday last. He says Ford City still "holds the fort." Ryansville and Ford City are rivals. We hope the towns will grow so that they can consolidate for mutual interests.

Three boot blacks were arrested Thursday last, charged with putting obstructions on the railroad track between this point and Cimarron. The boys had been put off the passenger train, and took revenge by placing some drain tiling on the track.

The Ford County Bank will be established and ready for business on the first of December. Room has been secured in the new store building occupied by H. B. Bell, on Front street, as a furniture store. Mr. McMasters, of New York, we understand to be one of the gentlemen connected with the new bank.

A sod school house has been built in the Enderly and Mayrath neighborhood, on the south side of the river. The neighborhood furnishes a good number of school children. The district is No. 28, and the house is called Richland school. The building was put by the grangers and is 20x35 feet. School will commence Nov. 16.

The Rustler is the name of a new paper just published at Rio in this county, 28 miles southeast of Dodge City. S. M. Mann inaugurates the Rustler. Rio is a new town on the proposed Kingman branch, with fine business prospects. F. T. M. Wenie is secretary of the town company, and E. J. Beard general business manager.

Spearville is to be organized as a city of the third class, the election of officers to occur on the 14th inst. G. G. Gilbert, J. M. Leidigh and T. K. Stidman are judges of election; J. W. Gilbert and W. A. Taylor are clerks. The vote is to be canvassed by L. Huffman, L. W. Eastman and T. B. Stewart. The order of the corporation is made by Judge Strong.

The following "highly sensational" item appeared in the Newton Republican of last week: "Night before last the Pullman on the east bound cannonball was entered at Dodge City by an unknown man who picked up some overcoats and hats and started away with them. The porter very naturally objected, and barred the thief's progress until made to stand aside by a revolver in the hands of the desperado who threw away the articles of wearing apparel and made good his escape."

Superintendent Hillard informs us that the south side Sunday School is at a standstill. The house being too small for that purpose, the members thought best to adjourn until the district school house was finished. Until quite recently nothing was done on the school house, the people being so busy with reaping and planting. But now they have a good building, 20x34 feet, almost completed. An acre of land was donated by Mr. Grantham for that purpose. So district 28 will soon be ready for weekly and Sabbath school.

The rooms of the Cleveland vocal society were filled by representative people of the city last evening to hear the musical entertainment given by Miss Carrie L. Dennie of the Oberlin Conservatory, assisted by the Amphion Quartet. The entertainment was of a very high order of excellence and furnished the audience with a rare musical treat. Miss Dennie has a wide reputation as a vocalist, and the rendition of several classic songs was received with flattering applause.—Cleveland Herald.

Miss Dennie will give a concert in the court house this (Thursday) evening November 12th. Miss Dennie is a sister of Richard Dennie of this city. We have no doubt the entertainment will be good, and advise music loving people to go.

Weather for November, 1885.

C. C. Blake, editor of the Future, predicts November weather as follows: At the time of writing this, October 21st, my calculations for November do not show any extraordinary weather. The month will average a little colder than usual for the time of year, with some quite cold snaps that will carry frost to the Gulf States; but there will be considerable pleasant November weather scattered through the month. There will be about the usual number of storms during the month, some of which will be moderately severe, especially about the 10th; but the amount of precipitation will not be large, and will average a little below the normal except in some places near the Gulf of Mexico and the southeast, where there will be a small excess.

In parts of the north and northwest there will be considerable deficiency, and a good part of that which does fall in said tract will be in the form of snow.

Put your name down for the northern railroad.

Kansas is having a splendid run on fall weather.

Life has its compensations and justice comes at last.

M. R. Draper has returned to the city after a long absence.

Immense quantities of trees have been received in the country.

The three brick store buildings are in progress on Bridge street.

The District Court convenes to-day. There is a large docket to dispose of.

George B. Cox is going to build a \$30,000 hotel in rear of the present location.

A. C. Langley was down from Garden City this week. He is doing a good business up there.

Rev. D. F. Owens is associated with the firm of L. E. McGarry & Co. in the real estate business.

McGarry Bros. have the contract for building the new school house. Their bid is \$7,500. There were several bidders.

Bad Miller, one of the proprietors of the opera house restaurant, was badly scalded on the head and arm Monday evening last.

Prairie fires are numerous. Barton Bros. range was burned. Extensive fires have occurred near Cowland. The atmosphere is full of smoke.

J. F. Moore, of La Veta, Colorado, went down to Crooked Creek on Tuesday last to join his family, who are visiting Mrs. Coffey.

Attorney Bowman, of Newton, Kansas, was in the city several days. He is engaged in the contest suits of the late county election.

A buggy was demolished at the railroad crossing last Saturday. It belonged to C. B. Wallingham, manager of the Hansford Cattle Company.

The music in the saloons has been suspended. The music is a harmless thing, but if its suspension is to be the forerunner of a reform, we gladly welcome it.

Great fires have been sweeping over the prairies for the past two days and yet people are negligent in securing themselves against the devouring element.—Fowler Graphic.

Eld. Miller delivered an interesting sermon at the M. E. Church last Sunday evening. His talk tended to direct attention to and urge greater action in the interest of temperance and morality.

Chas. H. Lane, well known to our citizens, died in the insane asylum in this State, some days ago. Mr. Lane was for a long time of the firm of Wright, Beverley & Co. Joe Werth, another inmate of the asylum, sent from this city, died several weeks ago.

A farewell party was given to C. H. Stuller on Monday evening, in Starn's new building. Mr. Stuller has been connected with the signal office in this city the past few years, and is assigned to duty at Fort Elliott. He is a fine young gentleman, and we regret his removal.

Governor Martin has issued a proclamation for the formal organization of Meade county. The temporary commissioners are J. S. Sears, of Meade Center; H. L. Mullen and E. M. Mars, of Fowler; county clerk, H. D. McDaniel. Meade Center is designated by the proclamation as temporary county seat. The population of the county is 3,507.

The good old cow has paid off more mortgages and paid for more farms than any other known product. She is the mother of all our beef. In her household she catches the wolf on her horns and tosses him from the door. She has turned the tide of agricultural prosperity in many parts of the country from a downward course in grain and cotton to an upward one in raising stock and grass. Flowers and grass spring from beneath her feet on the most barren soil. The old cow does not stop to enthrone over them, but converts them to good solid hard cash.

The Spearville Blade says, "The Democrats, as usual when there is a split on either side, succeeded in running in two of their men, the clerk and surveyor. The result on treasurer and sheriff yet depends upon the disposition of Dodge township, which from reports has evidently distinguished itself in a manner well calculated to excite to envy the most noted bulldozing precincts in the south. If the half that is told is true, and it comes from too many different sources to be made up altogether of whole cloth or no cloth at all, it is absolutely not only a flaming disgrace upon our county, but a warning of approaching danger, if let run on in this channel, at which the bravest may well look with many misgivings.

The Coffeyville Journal puts the matter sensibly thus: "If Kansas unfortunately should cut loose from her prohibition moorings and the saloons should be allowed to return, and following this every saloon was compelled to pay an even \$1,000 license it would not one-half liquidate the debt annually assessed upon other tax payers to support the paupers and protect society from the criminals which the saloon educates. Jails and station cells, penitentiaries and poor houses would in a great measure be tenantless were it not for the demon drink. Even all this is a small part of the distressing picture, when we see the multitude of homes of poverty, the hungry and ignorant children, and the wives whose faces are hopeless as seen in no other than a drunkard's home. And yet there are men who talk about 'personal liberty' and the 'right to buy and sell' whisky as they would flour and potatoes.

The cold wave signal was placed on the court house flag staff yesterday at 10 o'clock, and as we write there are indications of a storm.

A gilt-buttoned member of the ebony-hued wing of the U. S. A., while under influence of liquor, made a full bayonet charge on the enemy down Front street Monday. He fell early in the fight, and the enemy took charge of his musket.

Peter Harding leaves for New York next week where he will superintend the shipment of some cattle to this place. The cattle have been imported from Holland, being a present to Mrs. G. C. Kolf from her sister. They are similar to the Holstein breed. The 90 days quarantine will expire on the 26th instant.

From this on the nights grow longer, and the small boy's attention is called to the fact that he must prepare for the long evenings. By day he may chase the Jackson rabbit o'er the lea, skip pebbles on the billowy Arkansas or deface opera posters, but he must have something to keep his pining soul awake during these sleepless evenings.

The men who have appealed to the courts to prevent the success of the gross election frauds perpetrated here, appear to be terribly in earnest. To secure their rights they must exhibit patience and pluck and must bear heavy legal expenses. The whole county is interested in their struggle, and will be disappointed if they falter under any discouragement. They cannot afford to fail.

The rush at the Garden City Land Office is thus described by the Newton Republican: "Abrahamson showed a reporter photographs of the Garden City land office, front and rear. The amount of business transacted at this office is wonderful. The front view represents several hundred men impatiently waiting their turn, while the rear view represents a crowd of men, many of whom are in the act of climbing ladders to place their papers in the hands of the land attorneys. The clerks in the land office are obliged to work sixteen hours a day and even then some men have to remain in the town a month before their wants can be attended to."

The Ft. Worth Live Stock Journal says: "The railroad building in Texas was stopped for a time but the ball is again in motion. The Santa Fe, the Ft. Worth & New Orleans, and the Arkansas are three, but more are to follow. Kansas roads are looking with a longing eye to a dip into the Panhandle. The Ft. Worth and Denver is also in want of mileage; the St. Louis & Frisco is useless where it now terminates, in the Nation. Western Texas is now a settled community and must have transportation facilities equal to its growth and wealth, and it will not be long before the want will be supplied far better than now. The country is too wealthy to be neglected, as every foot is utilized for agricultural and grazing purposes."

The chief engineer of the A. T. & S. F. railroad spent several days in the county about the last of September or the first of October. Few persons were aware of his presence in our midst. While here he looked the land over carefully, and as a result of his observations, assistant engineer Ellis with a full corps of men was sent out and run a line for the P. V. & D. R. R. from the west line of Hodgeman eastward through Jetmore to Larned. At Larned Ellis received instructions from headquarters to proceed at once to Jetmore, which survey has just been completed. Mr. Ellis has sent his report to the company's officers at Topeka. From there it will be sent to Boston, where estimates will be made of the comparative cost of the two lines.—Jetmore Reville.

Stores! Stores! Be sure and buy the Great Western Leavenworth stove. It is the best in the market, at F. C. Zimmermann's.

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Special Clubbing Offer. We call the attention of our readers to our advertisement in another column, of a special offer we make them, to furnish them the DODGE CITY TIMES clubbed with the LEAVENWORTH DAILY TIMES, both papers one year for \$5, or the DODGE CITY TIMES and the LEAVENWORTH WEEKLY TIMES one year, both papers, for \$2.00. This is an unprecedented offer and our readers should avail themselves of it. The LEAVENWORTH TIMES stands at the head of Kansas newspapers and should be in every home. You cannot expend a few dollars to better advantage than to avail yourself of this offer and secure two first-class newspapers for the price of one. Send in your subscriptions.

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KANSAS over which the eastern press are disposed to crack jokes about its cyclones and grasshoppers, drought, etc., has in ten years, by actual statistics, raised \$1,046,262,264 worth of products. It is only an infant and yet stands fifth in the great wheat growing states of the Union. It looks as though the infant might outlive its critics.

Sunset Roller Mills choice brands are Silver Leaf, Climax and Boquet.

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Mr. Steve Elkins in an interview with the Denver Tribune said: "In my opinion the land lying between the Missouri river and the Rocky mountains is destined to be one of the most thickly populated in the union. The land is of the richest kind and capable of raising the finest crops of any section. I believe that in time some means will be utilized to husband all the water for irrigation and by means of reservoirs carry it eastward for a distance of 200 miles. East of the Alleghenies the farmers are now obliged to use fertilizers in order to get a crop to plow, but out here nothing of the kind will be necessary for 500 years."

We have received from George Stinson & Company, of Portland, Me., the well-known art publishers, a magnificent steel engraving of General Grant. It is after Anderson's celebrated photograph which was made while the general was in full vigor, and represents him in his sturdiest manly strength, as the people wish to remember him. It is undoubtedly the best portrait of the general ever made. This firm offers rare inducements to agents who will canvass for their new publications.

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PROPOSALS FOR WOOD. HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF THE MISSOURI, Office of Chief Quartermaster, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, Nov. 2, 1885.

SEALED PROPOSALS IN TRIPlicate, subject to usual conditions, will be received at this office or at the office of the Post Quartermaster, at Fort Supply, Indian Territory, until 12 o'clock, noon, central standard time, on Wednesday, December 2, 1885, at which time and place they will be opened in the presence of attending biddees for furnishing and delivering at that Post of 300 cords of hard, or soft wood.

The government reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Preference given to articles of domestic production and manufacture, conditions of price and quality being equal, and such preference given to articles of domestic production and manufacture produced on the Pacific coast to the extent of the consumption required by the public service there. Blank proposals and printed circulars giving full information, will be furnished on application to this office, or to the Post Quartermaster at Fort Supply, T. T.

Envelopes containing proposals should be marked: "Proposals for Wood at Fort Supply, T. T." and addressed to the undersigned, or to the Post Quartermaster named above.

JAMES GILLISS, Major and Quartermaster, U. S. A., Chief Quartermaster.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at Garden City, Kas., Oct. 16, 1885. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Judge, at Dodge City, Kas., on Wednesday, December 9, 1885, viz: Daniel M. Frost, H. E. No. 626, for the lots 9, 10 and 12 sec 25 T. 25 N. & 25 W. and lots 14 and 15 sec 30 T. 25 N. & 25 W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: R. G. Cook, J. S. Welch, J. H. Crawford, and Henry Norvell, all of Dodge City, Kas. H. F. MYTON, Register.

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